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SUBJECT: REPORTED DISAPPEARANCE OF CHILEAN LEFTISTS

1. WASHINGTON POST DECEMBER 23 CARRIES AP STORY FROM SANTIAGO SAYING LEGAL SOURCES CLOSE TO ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH REPORT "EIGHT CHILEAN LEFTISTS HAVE DISAPPEARED FOLLOWING A WAVE OF POLITICAL ARRESTS THIS MONTH BY SECURITY FORCES".

2. NAMES ARE GIVEN AS (1) EDRAS PINTO, FORMER SECRETARY TO CORVALAN; (2) FERNANDO ALFREDO NAVARRO, COMMUNIST OFFICIAL IN VALPARAISO; (3) WALDO ULISES PIZARRO, SANTIAGO COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIAL; (4) LISANDRO TUCAPEL CURZ, FORMER UNION LEADER; (5) REINALDO DEL CARMEN PEREIRA; (6) LINCOYAN BENIES CATALDO, FORMER PRESIDENT OF NATL ASSOCIATION OF MUNICIPAL WORKERS; (7) HORACIO CEPEDA, FORMER DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT TRANSPORT COMPANY; AND (8) JUAN FERNANDO ORTIZ, COMMUNIST MEMBER OF NATIONAL UNIVERSITY BOARD OF COUNSELORS.  
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3. EMBASSY COMMENT WOULD BE APPRECIATED.  
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